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Subject: Notes/follow up from April SR planning meeting
Attachments: Superfund Remedial DASHBOARD April 16.pdf

SR Leadership Team

We had a productive meeting this morning and here are my notes.

We reviewed the “dashboard” and took a hard look at the Cat 2 and Cat 3 sites that pose a risk of fluid release. We added 3 sites to Cat 2 (Gilt Edge, Libby Asbestos OU3, US Magnesium). We reviewed all Cat 2 and Cat 3 sites to determine which ones may or will require a consultation this year. Please take a look at the attached updated “dashboard” to see what our conclusions were.

We talked about ways we can relieve tasks from RPMs that eat up time and take away from their focus on core RPM duties. We’d like to explore how we can do a better job of: 1) tracking required training (Scott?), and 2) updating websites (the Helena model seems to be working better than the Denver model).

We talked about how to “finish” a group of sites that are straggling and need a final push. Below are the sites in that category. Please provide me with what remains to be done at each site and what the obstacles are. We talked about trying a team approach to pushing these sites along.

Montana

Mouat Industries
BN Livingston
Idaho Pole

Unit B

Broderick Wood
Chem Sales
Flagstaff/Davenport deletion
Eureka deletion
IWOR
ISR
Jacobs Smelter

Wyoming

Mystery Bridge

We agreed that EPR’s contracts/IA/grants staff could function more effectively if centralized in Program Support. This would impact Jodi, Barb, Robin and our new PO. Having a team approach would enable greater opportunities for people to back each other up and could result in some economies of scale.

We talked about how we can manage the time of RPMs with sites that are not funded in a given year (Pipeline or RA). Can they be directed to work on other sites or projects while they wait for funding?

I will schedule a meeting in May and strive to find a time that works for everyone. We really missed not having Steve and Rob for this meeting.

Bill